

FISCAL NOTE
SB 441 - HB 457

February 19, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Reallocates the \$20.50 of marriage license fees that is earmarked for the Tennessee Disability Coalition. The Tennessee Disability Coalition would receive \$6.84; Tennessee Community Organizations ACTs (TNCO ACTs) would receive \$6.83; and Association for Retarded Citizens (ARC) of Tennessee would receive \$6.83.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:


Other Fiscal Impact – The Tennessee Disability Coalition would incur a decrease in revenues estimated at \$866,590. The Arc of Tennessee and TNCO ACTs would each incur an increase in revenues of \$433,295.

Assumptions:

- In 2006, there were approximately 63,440 marriages registered with the Office of Vital Records. While there could have been more licenses distributed than marriages performed, this is a good estimate of the number of marriage licenses issued.
- The Tennessee Disability Coalition would have received \$1,300,520 in 2006 for the allocation of \$20.50 per licensing fee ($\$20.50 \times 63,440$). With the reallocation decrease from \$20.50 to \$6.84 per licensing fee, the Tennessee Disability Coalition would incur a decrease in revenues estimated at \$866,590.40 ($\$1,300,520 - (\$6.84 \times 63,440)$).
- The TNCO ACTs would incur an increase in revenues for the allocation of \$6.83 from licensing fees which is estimated at \$433,925.20 ($\$6.83 \times 63,440$).
- The Arc of Tennessee would incur an increase in revenues for the allocation of \$6.83 from licensing fees which is estimated at \$433,925.20 ($\$6.83 \times 63,440$).

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James W. White, Executive Director